

THE GLENMORE-AVE. WORK

BIDS FOR TWO SECTIONS OPENED YES
TERDAY.

FOUR BIDDERS FOR ONE AND FIVE FOR THE
OTHER—PART OF THE IMPROVEMENT TO BE
ASPHALT—THE WORK TO BE COM-

There was a busy hour at the Litchfield Mansion in Prospect Park just after noon yesterday. Twelve o'clock was the hour fixed for the opening of the bids for the macadam work which is to form a part of the Glenmore-ave. improvement. This work had to be divided into two sections, since the middle part is to be of asphalt, while the two ends are to be macadam.

That arrangement was necessary because a part of Glenmore-ave. was paved some time ago with Belgian blocks at the expense of the owners of the abutting property. When the improvement now in contemplation was planned it was pointed out to the officials of the Park Department that a considerable percentage of the assessments on account of the Belgian pavement had not been paid, and that if this pavement was removed there would be no way of compelling the delinquents to pay up. Accordingly it was decided to leave the Belgian blocks and place an asphalt surface over them.

This part of the work will cover about a mile while the two macadam sections will cover about two miles and a half. The specifications for the macadam work were prepared first, as that part of the improvement will require a longer time than the asphalt section, and the bids for the latter will not be opened until next week.

A number of men who had put in bids or were otherwise interested in the work were on hand yesterday when the bids which had been received were opened by Deputy Park Commissioner Palmer.

The most westerly section of the work included Eastern Parkway (extension), Stone-ave. and Glenmore-ave., from East New-York-ave. to Alabama-ave. For this there were five bidders. The other section embraces Glenmore-ave. from Ashford-st. to Eldred Lane (formerly Enfield-st.), and the latter section from Glenmore-ave. to Liberty-ave. For this part

there were four bids received.

Thomas McCann bid only for the Eastern Park section, and his bid was \$51,175.60. The lowest bid for this section were as follows: Cody Bros. \$46,756.60; Thomas Byrnes, \$50,778; John O'Rourke, \$51,175.60; and John J. Dwyer, \$51,175.60.

The lowest bid for the first four-acre section, a lot put in bids also for the first four-acre section, a lot for the Cody Bros. was \$38,057.40; Byrnes, \$42,083.90; John O'Rourke, \$43,143.20; Dwyer, \$44,834.20. The lowest bidder in each case were Cody Bros., and unless there should be some good reason for not doing so, it

probable that the contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder. The Park Commission has full discretion to reject any bid, but he is not wise to him to do so. The contractor will have ninety days in which to do the work, which will consist of grading and macadamizing the streets already mentioned. If the work is done on time wheelmen will be able to travel over a smooth road all the way to Quebec County by the beginning of September. No question of cost, of course, but the asphalt will be completed by the same time. There is no grading to be done in that part but the Belgian pavement needs some repairs, and there is a railroad track to be taken up and carted away. The laying of asphalt over Belgian macadam is a slow process, and it will take some time to do so.

It was understood yesterday that Park Commissioner Woodruff would examine the bids for the two sections to be macadamized and announce his decision to-day. The contract will be executed at once and the contractor will make all possible speed on the work.

GATHERED ABOUT THE TOWN.

An organ recital will be given by Hugo Troetsch on Thursday evening in the Church of the Epiphany at McDonough-st. and Tompkins-ave. Mr. Troetsch will be assisted by Miss Sarah M. Kirk, a

Charles Klein, a contractor, living at No. 491 E. Houston-st., New-York, received a fracture of the spine yesterday morning by coming in contact with an elevated railroad pillar at Fulton Ferry while getting off a Fifth-ave. trolley-car. He was taken to a New-York hospital. In the last few weeks se-

The pillar stands within a foot of the railroad tracks opposite No. 5 Fulton-st.

The Rev. Dr. Charles Herald, pastor of the Bethesda People's Church in Ocean Hill, has suffered for some time with an affection of his right eye brought on by a fall from a trolley-car.

operation was performed at his home, No. 2 Decatur-st., and the eye was removed. The doctor will be absent from his pulpit until the June communion.

Church, died suddenly from apoplexy early yesterday morning in the pastoral residence, No. 286 Fifteenth st. She was found by the priest at 6 o'clock in the morning in her room in a dying condition. He called Dr M. E. Blackman, who lives near by, but she was dead when the physician arrived. Miss Paulsen was sixty-four years old and came to the U. S. from Norway, expressly to take

country in 1921 from Norway, expressed her charge of Father Dumahut's home. She will be buried to-morrow in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Ex-Coroner Joseph Kene has reported to the Health Department that Frederick Monlock, of No. 327 Hudson-ave., died on Sunday from black diphtheria. The house has been quarantined, and all persons who have been in contact with the patient are being observed. The number of diphtheria cases in the city is now 12.

Investigation will be made. The number of typhoid fever cases reported during the last two weeks was 115, and 22 deaths. Such a spread of the disease at this time of the year is unaccountable, and the Health Department is doing all in its power to stamp it out.

on Sunday night while turning a curve in Ninth-st., near Fifth-ave. Many of the passengers received severe bruises. Annie Perry, of No. 3 Twentieth-st.; Annie and Nellie Perrall, of No. 2 Twentieth-st., and Lizzie White, of No. 288 Seventh-st., were cut and bruised on the hands and body. Edward Fitzpatrick and Bennett Herzoff, two passengers, were shaken up.

Judge Tighe had before him yesterday morning three well-dressed young men, who were arrested on Sunday for boisterous conduct in Flatbush trolley-cars. William H. Johnson, whose home is on Seventh-ave., was fined \$100. Henry Hawks, Jr., who gave his address as No. 201 Prospect Place, was

Major McKinley Battery No. 1 will hold a meeting in Apollo Hall, No. 550 Marcy-ave., to-morrow evening.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY.

Graduation exercises Homoeopathic Hospital Training School for Nurses in the church adjoining the hospital, in Cumberland-st., evening.

Lecture on "The Ascent of the Matterhorn" by Miss Annie S. Peck, M. A., Association Hall.

Spring print exhibition, Brooklyn Academy of
Photography, No. 177 Montague-st.
Sixth annual exhibition of photographic prints
and lantern slides, department of photography,
Brooklyn Institute, No. 174 Montague-st., evening
Drills by Companies D and F, 13th Regiment.
Meeting Republican district associations, 8 p. m.
White Workers, N. W. C. A.

NOTES FROM THE COURTS.

Levy sued for a breach of contract. She alleged that on March 30, 1895, she agreed with Roche to rent from him for a year the two lower floors of the house at No. 41 Wyckoff-st at \$30. She was to move in on April 15, but just before that time Roche told her that she could not have the house. She had left her furniture in the house she had previously occupied, and the next day the ceiling fell and damaged it. She lost considerable time looking for another place.

Henry Marks was declared incompetent to care for himself yesterday by a Sheriff's jury. Marks was

dealer in coal at Third-st. and Gervais canal. His interest in the business is worth 18,500, and he has property valued at \$5,000. The petitioner in the case is his brother Louis, who is also interested in the coal business. The jury agreed that the patient has had hallucinations, and the Supreme Court will be asked to appoint a committee of his person and estate.

Hearing will be had this morning in the Supreme Court before a jury in the suit of Antonio Maresca for absolute divorce from Maggie Maresca. The

defendant is a good-looking Irish girl. Mrs. Maresc